

INFORMATION NOTICE

WORKFORCE SERVICES

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: STATE EMPLOYEE FURLOUGH PLAN EXEMPTION

This notice modifies Workforce Services Information Notice [WSIN08-34](#), and provides updated information concerning the State worker furlough plan pursuant to [Executive Order S-16-08](#) issued by the Governor on December 19, 2008.

On February 5, 2009, the Employment Development Department (EDD) received notice of a furlough exemption for EDD Workforce Services Branch (WSB) local staff. One-Stop Career Centers will be staffed by EDD to provide public services the first and third Friday of each month. Any stand-alone local offices and One-Stop Career Centers that provide employment services and Unemployment Insurance (UI) assistance to the public will remain open and will be staffed with EDD personnel. In addition, the UI phone lines and computer services will continue to be accessible to the public. The exemption is for the WSB field staff and management only and does not pertain to the Labor Market Information Division or EDD WSB Central Office operations.

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